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Date: 23 March 2009

Reference: Eskom Landfill EIA

Enviro Solution Systems

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0600

For the attention of Mr Christo Gagiano

**INVITATION TO COMMENT: DRAFT SCOPING REPORT FOR THE PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION OF
A GENERAL LANDFILL SITE AND A HAZARDOUS WASTE STORAGE FACILITY IN LEPHALALE,
LIMPOPO PROVINCE**

Your enquiry regarding the proposed construction of a landfill site and a hazardous waste storage facility by Eskom in Lephalale refers.

Envirolution Consulting has followed up with Eskom regarding your enquiry. Eskom has indicated that the landfill site will be for use only by Eskom for disposal of waste from their construction and operational activities. No waste from other sources will be accepted to be disposed at the site. This is due to design of the landfill and the operational life of the power station which Eskom is considering.

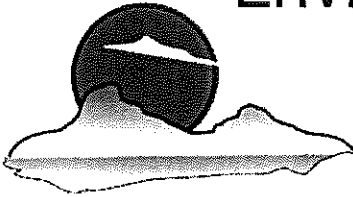
We have noted your comments and have registered you as an Interested and Affected Party for this project.

Regards

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Nkhensani'.

Ms Nkhensani Khandhela
for Envirolution Consulting (Pty) Ltd



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7 March 2009

Me N Chetty
Envirolution (Pty) Ltd
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**Re: General Landfill and Hazardous Waste Storage Facility, Limpopo
Province; DEAT Ref No: 12/12/12/1399**

Dear Me Chetty

Enviro-Solution Systems was appointed by the Steenbokpan Development Consortium to conduct an Environmental Impact Assessment for township establishment on several properties at Steenbokpan. The Scoping Report was submitted to the Department of Economic Development, Environment and Tourism for evaluation. Feedback from the Department is expected soon.

The proposed development at Steenbokpan will generate building and household waste both during the construction and operational phase of the development. You are kindly requested to refer a request to Eskom to indicate if they would allow general waste generated by sources other than Eskom to be allowed to be disposed of at the site on which the application had been lodged?

You are furthermore requested to forward the name and contact details of a person from Eskom involved with the proposed waste disposal site to me.

Your cooperation is highly appreciated.

Kind Regards

C Gagiano

The Envirovolution Consulting (Pty) LTD
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Dear Netisha

ISSUES TO BE ADDRESSED IN THE EIA

Kindly receive the following comments from the National Department of Health-
Environmental Health Services for the proposed General Landfill site and Hazardous
Waste storage facility in Limpompo province.

The following should be taken cognisance of:

1. Air quality impact assessment.
2. Ground water contamination.
3. Rehabilitation plan.
4. Sampling schedule.
5. Emergency preparedness plan.
6. Disaster preparedness plan.
7. Town planning scheme in terms of future developments.

Thank you.

Yours truly
Zakhele Chagi

A.D. Environmental Health
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Email: chagiz@health.gov.za

Netisha Chetty

From: Maluleke Justice [JusticeM@dwaf.gov.za]
Sent: 23 February 2009 11:35 AM
To: Netisha Chetty
Cc: Mabada Hangwani Donald (PTG)
Subject: RE: NOTICE OF A SCOPING AND EIA: ESKOM GENERAL LANDFILL SITE AND A HAZARDOUS WASTE STORAGE FACILITY IN LEPHALALE, LIMPOPO PROVINCE

Dear Netisha

Please note that your application will be handled by Limpopo office and I have sent it to Mr. Donald Mabada.

Please follow up with him for comments.

Wisani Justice Maluleke
Department of Water Affairs and Forestry
Crocodile/ Marico Water Management Area
Tel: 012 392 1409
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e-mail: teo@dwaf.gov.za

From: Netisha Chetty [mailto:netisha@envirolution.co.za]
Sent: 20 February 2009 03:11 PM
To: Netisha Chetty
Subject: NOTICE OF A SCOPING AND EIA: ESKOM GENERAL LANDFILL SITE AND A HAZARDOUS WASTE STORAGE FACILITY IN LEPHALALE, LIMPOPO PROVINCE

21 February 2009

DEAT REF No: 12/12/20/1399

Dear Sir / Madam,

NOTICE OF A SCOPING AND ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT FOR THE PROPOSED GENERAL LANDFILL SITE AND A HAZARDOUS WASTE STORAGE FACILITY IN LEPHALALE, LIMPOPO PROVINCE

Envirolution Consulting (Pty) Ltd has been appointed as the independent environmental consultant to facilitate the Scoping and Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) including the public participation process for the proposed construction of a general landfill site and a hazardous waste storage facility in Lephalale, Limpopo Province.

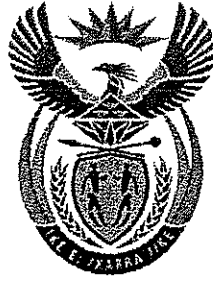
We have previously provided you with the Background Information Document (BID) and would now like to inform you that the Draft Scoping Report (DSR) has been compiled and is available for your review and comment. The DSR will be available at the following venue from **21 February to 21 March 2009**:

Venue	Address	Contact Person	Hours
DH Library in Lephalale	Corner Joe Slovo and Douwater Streets Lephalale Municipality	Ms BJ Ndoweni 014 763 4402	Monday – Friday 9h00 – 17h30 Saturday 9h00 – 12h00

An electronic copy of the report is also available on the Envirolution Consulting website, www.envirolution.co.za from 20 February to 21 March 2009. Please note that the comment period closes on **Friday 21 March 2009**.

You are also invited to attend a **Focus Group Meeting** for the above mentioned project. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the findings of the scoping phase and a way forward to the EIA phase. The meeting will be held as follows:

Venue	Address	Date
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DEPARTMENT: LAND AFFAIRS
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Enq: Malatji T.I
Date: 27 February 2009

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Attention: Netisha Chetty

**RE: NOTICE OF A SCOPING AND ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT FOR
THE PROPOSED GENERAL WASTE LANDFILL SITE AND A HAZARDOUS WASTE
HOLDING FACILITY IN LEPHALALE, LIMPOPO PROVINCE**

We acknowledge receipt of your letter dated the 21st February 2009 regarding the above matter.

We would like to refer you to our letter dated the 02nd February 2009. Kindly provide us with details of the properties that will be affected by the development so that we are able to check for ownership details. If it is found that the properties are State land allocated or held in trust for a particular tribe, your company will have to consult and request written comments from the land rights holders/allocated tribe.

This is in view of the disputes and objections experienced in such areas in the past. You will further be requested to submit a copy of such comments to the Department Of Land Affairs.

Hope you will find this to be in order.

Kind regards

DEPUTY DIRECTOR: STATE LAND UNIT
LPLRO

Netisha Chetty

From: Makuwa M S [MakuwaMS@ledet.gov.za]
Sent: 02 March 2009 12:18 PM
To: netisha@envirolution.co.za
Cc: Mphahlele T; Maselela T
Subject: RE: NOTICE OF SCOPING AND ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT FOR THE PROPOSED GENERAL AND HAZARDOUS WASTE HOLDING FACILITY IN LEPHALALE, LIMPOPO PROVINCE.

Good day

Perhaps you did not get the question clear. The question is what criteria were used to rate the sites as well as to eliminate other candidate sites?

Regards
Steve

-----Original Message-----

From: Mphahlele T
Sent: Monday, February 16, 2009 10:19 AM
To: Maselela T; Makuwa M S
Subject: FW: NOTICE OF SCOPING AND ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT FOR THE PROPOSED GENERAL AND HAZARDOUS WASTE HOLDING FACILITY IN LEPHALALE, LIMPOPO PROVINCE.

Colleagues

Please pay attention to the development as outlined.

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-----Original Message-----

From: Netisha Chetty [mailto:netisha@envirolution.co.za]
Sent: Friday, February 13, 2009 3:35 PM
To: Makuwa M S
Cc: Mamabolo S C; Mphahlele T; 'Nkhensani Khandlhela'
Subject: NOTICE OF SCOPING AND ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT FOR THE PROPOSED GENERAL AND HAZARDOUS WASTE HOLDING FACILITY IN LEPHALALE, LIMPOPO PROVINCE.

Dear Sir / Madam,

Your enquiry regarding alternative sites for the abovementioned development refers.

Thank you for your interest in the project.

Please note that alternatives that were identified during the site selection and scoping processes are highlighted in the map attached to the BID previously sent to you. For your information, it emerged during the site selection process that Site 5 was most suitable following several specialist investigations. Therefore, Site 5 will be further investigated during the EIA phase.

Please note that you will be informed of the availability of the draft Scoping Report and a hard copy will be sent to your department for comment. The Scoping Report will provide the findings of the Scoping Studies including alternatives that will be investigated in the EIA.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any enquiries.

Kind Regards,
Netisha Chetty